

## HOUSE RESOLUTION 246

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A RESOLUTION to recognize Mrs. Robbie Borum Corley on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm throughout their years of industry; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Robbie Corley is one such superlative person who has served with distinction for twenty-nine years with the Wilson County School System; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Corley has given unreservedly of herself to develop this State's most precious natural resource—our children; and

WHEREAS, a giving and kind-hearted individual whose benevolent nature knows no bounds, Robbie Corley has cared for the children of Watertown for many years by giving them lunch money, keeping spare children's clothes for emergencies, taking soiled clothes home to wash, repairing clothing items by sewing buttons and patching holes, and always going above and beyond the call of duty to ensure the students have what they need; and

WHEREAS, Robbie Corley inspires all of us to imagine a better future and create a better world by providing the highest ideals of public service and serving as a role model for young people; and

WHEREAS, a lifelong resident of Watertown, Mrs. Corley is also an active and important part of her community; she graduated from Watertown High School and participates in worthy organizations, including serving as an honorable member of the American Legion Auxiliary for over forty years; and

WHEREAS, possessing an entrepreneurial spirit, Robbie Corley owned and operated The Beauty Nook as a licensed beautician, as well as the R&H Department Store, which she also managed with her husband; and

WHEREAS, Robbie Corley demonstrates her deep, Christian beliefs as a faithful and devout member of Commerce Cumberland Presbyterian Church, which she serves as the Secretary/Treasurer of the Commerce Cumberland Presbyterian Women's Mission Group; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Corley is most grateful for the love and support she receives from her family; she has been happily married to Herbert Corley since 1967, and this blessed union produced a loving daughter, Ginger Ann Corley Freeman, who married JoJo Freeman; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Corley exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, upon her much deserved retirement, Robbie Corley plans to spend more time with her family, particularly her grandchildren, Micah, Patrick, and Kathleen, who are newborn triplets; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Mrs. Robbie Corley has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we extend to Mrs. Robbie Borum Corley our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement from twenty-nine years in the Wilson County School System and every continued success in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.